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**NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATION ABANDONED IN ERROR**

The Patent and Trademark Office mailed a *Notice Under 37 C.F.R 1.251 – Pending Application* on December 14, 2004. The notice requested the resubmission of documents dated May 26, 2004. Said documents requested were an applicant response to Notice to File Missing Parts and the oath/declaration submitted on the same date.

The USPTO made an error in this request since the application a Notice to File Missing Parts was never mailed to applicant by the office and subsequently, no response would have been forthcoming.

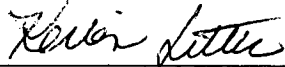
In point of fact, applicant did contact the USPTO in response to the *Notice Under 37 C.F.R 1.251 – Pending Application* on December 21, 2004. Applicant, via a telephonic conversation, notified USPTO that no response to the *Notice Under 37 C.F.R 1.251 – Pending Application* would be forthcoming since the notice was mailed in error.

However, the notice to the USPTO that the notice was mailed in error was not made of record in the application record. Consequently, after the time period for reply expired, the application was

abandoned on June 29, 2005. Applicant contacted USPTO regarding the erroneous abandonment and on June 30, 2005, the Notice of Abandonment was withdrawn.

**The application is now in a pending status and assigned to an examiner.**

The office apologizes for any inconvenience caused to applicant due to USPTO's errors in this matter.



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